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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
6 TACOMA DIVISION

7 PAUL T BURKE,
8 Plaintiff,

3:18-cv-05218-BHS

9 vs.

10 COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,
11 Defendant.

ORDER

12 It is hereby ORDERED that attorney fees in the amount of \$2,136.96 shall be awarded to
13 Plaintiff pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412. Attorney fees will be
14 paid to Plaintiff's attorney, dependent upon verification that Plaintiff has no debt which qualifies
15 for offset against the awarded fees, pursuant to the Treasury Offset Program as discussed in
16 *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 130 S.Ct. 2521 (2010). Attorney fees are paid pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1920.

17 If Plaintiff has no such debt, then the check shall be made out to Plaintiff's attorney and
18 mailed to Plaintiff's attorney's office as follows: Kevin Kerr, P.O. Box 14490, Portland, OR
19 97293. If Plaintiff has a debt, then the check for any remaining funds after offset of the debt
20 shall be made to Plaintiff and mailed to Plaintiff's attorney's office at the address stated above.

21 DATED this 22nd day of July, 2019.

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BENJAMIN H. SETTLE
United States District Judge

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